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The Pink Agenda's Annual Spring Gala

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[Marisa Renee Lee and Abigail Lorick]

Go [HERE](#) for more photos from this event by [Antwan Duncan](#).

This last Thursday night, before we joined [Scott and Naeem at Operation Smile](#), [Keith Lissner](#) and I (in his gorgeously designed white gown) attended [Marisa Renee Lee's](#) event for [The Pink Agenda](#) at Twenty Four Fifth. First, I have to comment on how STUNNING the hostess looked in her dress, designed by [Abigail Lorick](#), (on the Executive Committee for the event), who was also looking adorable in her vintage cocktail dress. Actually, the entire party was gorgeous. Who knew that this many attractive people with Harvard degrees were hiding out in Corporate America. We agreed it was a welcomed change to the Socialite-y events where you know everyone's name. It was nice...not knowing.

Although we did run into Timo Weiland, Emily Brill, Abigail Lorick, and others, this event, I found myself able to meet several new faces...always fun. After a touching opening from [Liana M. Guzman](#) (vice president of the organization and roommate/best friend of Marisa's), there was a keynote speech from [Marisa Acocella Marhchetto](#), herself a breast cancer survivor (and Author of *Cancer Vixon*). Then Marisa Lee took the mic and, promising not to cry because of her professionally done (and phenomenal I might add) makeup that she joked that she didn't want to ruin (though, I thought to myself, it would be impossible to erase her beauty, smeared makeup or not), she told her tale.

[Michael Vellucci](#) conducted the live auction that included items like an Equinox membership, a private dinner from [Chef Georgina Pellegrini](#) (Gramercy Tavern), a seven day all inclusive vacation in Bermuda, Courside seats at the US open, and much more. Guests mingled around hor dourves tables, and the open bars sponsored by Boru Vodka. The after party was at People Lounge on Allen street sponsored by Svedka.

For more about her story on her loss of her mother to this cancer, and the organization itself, read over her [interview with GofG](#) that she so kindly gave us weeks ago. And, of course, check out the [Pink Agenda's website](#) for other ways that you can contribute to the cause.

[[Interview With Marisa Renee Lee](#)]

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COMMENTS

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| ElizaB May 19, 2008 9:21pm | What an amazing cause...and yes, quite an amazing Lorick dress on hostess, Marisa Renee Lee! |
| antwan May 20, 2008 11:13am | everyone was awesome as hell. the older couples were like the best! |
| RAI May 20, 2008 3:55pm | Looks like antwan caught the antics of Emily Brill and Erica Birmingham on camera http://guestofaguest.com/galleries/?album=74&photo=2914 Does the observer know yet??????? |

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8:30 am [Smokey Robinson Brooklyn Show](#)

12:00 pm [Tamara Pogolian Presentation](#)

12:00 pm [YOUAREONTHELIST.com & Luxe Concierge VMA Gifting Suite](#)

1:00 pm [Aysha Saeed's Fashion Party at Cielo!](#)

2:00 pm [Crossing the Line 2009: Le Bal NYC](#)

3:00 pm [Katie Gallagher - VEIL](#)

4:00 pm [Brooklyn Artillery Opening](#)

5:00 pm [Celebrate NYC Fashion Week with designer: Anna Coroneo](#)

6:00 pm [NYC Twestival is Back and Ready to Bowl You Away](#)

6:00 pm [Ella Manor "Waking Dreams" Opening Reception](#)

6:00 pm [Nylon Magazine and Bloomingdale's Present: Ben Harper](#)

6:00 pm [Abi Ferrin presented by TONI&GUY](#)

7:00 pm [LiNK 2009 "Hope Makes Us Live" Benefit Gala](#)

7:00 pm [Dear Dave, Magazine presents a conversation between Cathy Horyn and Juergen Teller](#)

7:00 pm [The Fab Faux featuring the Hogshead Horns & The Creme Tangerine Strings](#)

7:00 pm [Alice + Olivia Presentation](#)

8:00 pm [GO GLOBAL - Fashion Week Party](#)

8:00 pm [Bryan Scary & The Shredding Tears](#)

8:00 pm [The Beautiful Life Celebration With Ashton Kutcher](#)

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9:30 pm [Alexander Wang After Party](#)